

REMARKS

The last Office Action has been carefully considered. Reconsideration of the application in view of the submission of the required Sequence Listing, which was the only requirement in the Official Action is respectfully requested.

The Examiner has required correction of the prior Sequence Listing. Applicant herewith submits a new computer readable disk containing the "Sequence Listing", as required, and a hard copy of the "Sequence Listing".

Applicant hereby states that the content of the Sequence Listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the sequences as originally filed in the application and includes no new matter.

A hard copy together with a diskette on which the Sequence Listing is provided in CRF form is enclosed. A copy of the Notice To Comply with Requirements is also enclosed.

Since the additional Sequence Listing, which was the only requirement in the Official Action has been provided, early action on the merits is now respectfully requested.

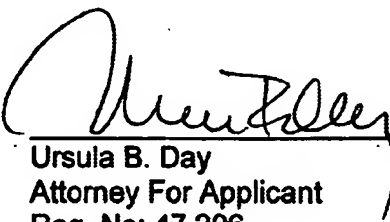
Applicant has tried to comply with the required corrections. It is noted for the record that the only material forwarded with the Official Action was a verification summary. From the verification summary it was not possible to cull the information necessary to make the needed corrections. Applicant's representative had to obtain further information to address the needed corrections. By not supplying applicant with the necessary information, time and

effort on part of the applicant had to be expended to solve the problem. To avoid any further delay in substantive Examination, applicant requests that should any further corrections be necessary the undersigned respectfully requests notification by phone.

In view of the submission of the corrected Sequence Listing, it is believed that substantive examination can proceed and such action is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0502.

Respectfully submitted,

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